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YOU HAVE A SHOW TO BUY CHILDREN'S OVERCOATS. WITH FUR COL-LARS AND CUFFS, LOOP AND CORD, THAT WERE \$8, \$7.50 AND \$7, AT

YOU HAVE A SHOW TO BUY CHILDREN'S SUITS (AND WE BEG YOU TO MAKE A SPECIAL NOTE OF THIS) THAT WERE \$7.75, \$7.50, \$7, \$8.50 AND \$6,

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Blankets, Dress Goods, Knitted Underwear and Upholstery.

About the Blankets--Just This:

The backwardness of the season has materially affected the sale of Blankets, and we find ourselves overstocked in the finer grades. That we may recover the sales counted on earlier in the season, we have made some very tempting price reductions. No mincing-but bold, vigorous price cutting, as you will see below. These Blankets are the product of the famous "NORTH STAR" WOOLEN MILLS. MINNE-APOLIS, MINN. Goods well known in Washington and vicinage. We give the original names from

II-4 Flour City. Reduced from \$11.00 To \$8.50. 12-4 Flour City. Reduced from \$12.50..........To \$10.00. II-4 Lyndale. Reduced from \$12.50..... To \$9.87. 12-4 Lyndale. Reduced from \$15.00..... To \$11.50. II-4 Hiawatha. Reduced from \$16.00 To \$12.50. 11-4 Falls of St. Anthony. Reduced from \$13.50 To \$10.50. 12-4 Falls of St. Anthony. Reduced from \$16.00 To \$12.50. 13-4 Falls of St. Anthony. Reduced from \$18.00 12=4 White Cloud. Reduced from \$11.50 To \$8.50. 12-4 La Premiere. Reduced from \$21.50.....To \$15.00. 12-4 Letoile Du Nord. Reduced from \$30.00 ... To \$20. 13=4 Premium. Reduced from \$28.50 To \$20.

About the Dress Goods--This:

What we said of the Blankets is also true of the Dress Goods. Notwithstanding we have the choicest stock that ever came to our counters, and the prices are lower than ever before, we have too much. The unfavorable season and trade conditions generally are the cause. The reductions we've made should quickly sell them. Every piece is new-this season's make-nothing from last season. You'll therefore realize the importance of this sale—the unusualness of the opportunity.

REDUCED FROM 69 AND 75c. TO..... 50c. YD. Three-toned Illuminated Sultings. 69c. YD REDUCED FROM \$1.75 AND \$2 TO \$1.25 YD

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A few extra choice Novelties. REDUCED FROM \$3 AND \$3.50 TO \$2.50 YD A few High-class Pattern Dresses in this season's REDUCED FROM \$32.50, \$35 AND \$39.50

About the Underwear--Just This:

The same chain of circumstances has brought about this great reduction sale of Women's and Children's Winter Underwear. We started out to sell a certain amount by December 1. We have not done so. To make up for November and to reach the mark aimed at for December we realize that substantial price reductions are necessary. We've made them. They are the lowest ever named for like goods here or elsewhere. If you need the urderwear the buying has been made very easy.

WOMEN'S COMBINATION SUITS.

IMPORTED BALBRIGGAN, Swiss ribbed, black atural color, not ribbed.

\$2.90 | natural color, not ribbed. IMPORTED ALL-WOOL, SWISS RIBBED, black
 SIZE
 3
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 WERE
 \$4.25
 \$4.50
 \$4.75
 \$5.00

 NOW
 \$3.25
 \$3.50
 \$3.75
 \$4.00
 STUTTGARTER MERINO, natural color, not
 SIZE
 30
 32
 34
 36
 38

 WERE
 \$3.40
 \$3.60
 \$3.80
 \$4.00
 \$4.20

 NOW
 \$2.50
 \$2.65
 \$2.85
 \$3.05
 \$3.25
 STUTTGARTER PURE WOOL, natural color, not NOW \$3.10 \$3.30 \$3.70 \$4.90 \$4.90 \$4.90 \$4.10 PURE SILK, black and cream, Swiss ribbed.
WERE \$9, \$9.25 AND \$9.50. NOW......\$8.00 WOMEN'S EQUESTRIENNE TIGHTS.
LBRIGGAN, SWISS RIBBED, A small WOMEN'S VENTS AND PANTS.

STUTTGARTER MERINO Vests and Pants,
natural color, not ribbed.
SIZE ... 28 30 32 34 36 38 40
WERE ... \$1.95 \$2.05 \$2.15 \$2.25 \$2.35 \$2.45 \$2.55
NOW ... \$1.50 \$1.60 \$1.70 \$1.80 \$1.90 \$2.00 \$2.10

STUTTGARTER PURE WOOL Vests and Pants, SIZE... 28 30 32 34 36 38 40 WERE. . \$2.70 \$2.80 \$2.90 \$3.00 \$3.10 \$3.20 \$3.20 NOW... \$2,10 \$2,20 \$2,30 \$2,40 \$2,50 \$2,60 \$2.70 SILK AND WOOL VESTS, Swiss ribbed, high

WERE \$2.15, \$2.30 AND \$2.45. NOW \$1.85, \$1.95 AND \$2.05. SILK AND WOOL VESTS, heavier weight, Swiss ribbed, high neck, long sleeves. WERE \$3.00, \$3.25 AND \$3.50, NOW \$2.25, \$2.50 AND \$2.75.

PURE SILK VESTS, winter weight, Swiss ribbed, high neck, long sleeves WERE \$3.25, \$3.50 AND \$3.75. NOW \$2.50, \$2.75

AND \$3.00. PURE SILK VESTS fancy novelties Swiss ribbed, low neck and no sleeves, crocheted fronts. WERE \$6.75, \$7.50, \$7.75 AND \$8.25. NOW \$6.50.

CHILDREN'S VESTS AND PANTS.

About the Upholstery--Just This:

These items are some additional attractions of the overstock sale of Curtains started some days These items are some additional attractions of the overstock sale of Cartains started some days ago. A sale without an example in our store history—a sale of season of '93 stuffs of our own and others' importing—at prices in many instances less than the cost of importation. A personal visit and examination will tell you that these are not back numbers, but fresh, new, crisp things. Many of them full of holiday gift fitness.

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BY THE USE OF

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\$7.50 Swiss Tambour Lace tains for..... 8.95 \$20.00 Marie Antoinette Laces for..... \$6.50 Cobbler Seat Oak Arm Rocker for..... 4.75 \$15.00 Oak Music Cabinet. French bevel mirror panel in door, for \$15.00 Solid Oak Polished Sideboard...... 8.75 \$45.00 Oak China Closet for .. 27.50

\$22.50 Oak Hall Rack, 3 feet wide, with seat and umbrella stand and French bevel glass 14x24, for..... 13.90 \$25.00 Antique Cheval Suite, with 18x40 plate, for 18.75 \$90 Large Overstuffed Fivepiece Suite, upholstered in silk tapestry, spring edges

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And 425 N. Eutaw st., Baltimore, Md.

A Notable Gathering at the Corcoran Art Gallery Last Evening.

Reception Given by the Woman's Indian Association-Entertainments and Interesting Personals.

The reception given last night at the Corcoran Gallery of Art by the Woman's Indian Association of this city, in honor of the delegates to the annual meeting of the National Association, which began its sessions this morning was an exceptionally pleasant occasion. The reception was entirely informal, and after each newcomer was received by Mrs. Amelia S. Quinton, president of the National Association, there were new pleasures awaiting at every turn in strolling through the gallery, which was all brilliantly lighted and open for inspection. Miss Kate Foote, who has been so deeply interested in the work of the association since its formation ten years ago, and who is now the president of the local organization, presented the delegates and visitors to Mrs. Quinton, the national president, Mrs. Mrs. Quinton, the national president, Mrs. A. G. Wilkinson, the vice president of the local society, and to Miss Mary E. Ives, the president of the New Haven branch, and who is also in charge of the young people's department of work among the Indians. The delegates began assembling about 8 o'clock and until nearly 10 enjoyed meeting each other and seeing the pictures. Many of those from out of town had never before visited the galiery of which they had heard so much and even many of the home delegates had not seen the gallery before at night. The occasion was in all respects a most auspicious preliminary to the work of the association in bringing the members together amid such delightful surroundings.

Homer B. Sprague, Dr. Augustus H. Strong, Dr. James M. Taylor, Bishop Hugh Miller Thompson, Jackson, Miss.; Jonathan Trumbull, Bishop John H. Vincent, Buffalo; Bishop John M. Walden, Cincinnati; Bishop Henry W. Warren, University Park, Col.; Herbert Welsh, Bishop Henry B. Whipple, Bishop O. W. Whitaker, Philadelphia: Dr. George T. Winston, Dr. James Woodrow, and Bishop Daniel S. Tuttle, St. Louis.

Other prominent members of the league are: D. F. Appleton, William H. Arnoux, J. W. Bashford, Birdseye Blakeman, Cornelius N. Bliss, the Rev. Dr. Robert Russell Booth, Cephas Brainerd, jr.; Isaac V. Brokaw, the Rev. Dr. Arthur Brooks, Dr. W. Leroy Brown, Charles Butler, Dr. Hoassociation in bringing the members to-gether amid such delightful surroundings for their better acquaintance. Some of those present were Representative and Mrs. Van Voorhis of Rochester, Mrs. Jean Davenport Lander, Miss Macfarland, Mr. D. M. Browning, commissioner of Indian affairs; Miss H. R. Foote of Philadelphia, Mrs.

this city. Senator and Mrs. Perkins of California will be here on the 10th and will be at the Shoreham during the winter. Their younger daughters are still in school and will not be with their parents this winter.

Julius C. Burrows and Mrs. Cunningham of

Mrs. Alexander R. Shepherd, Miss Shepherd and Mrs. E. A. Quintard, jr., are going to spend the winter at Monterey, Cal., for which destination they started last night. Mrs. Shepherd's three sons and a younger daughter will join the party at New Orleans and accompany them the rest of the jour-ney. Mrs. Shepherd has been at the Arlington, with her family, for the last week or so, where many old friends called to see her and to express their regret that she would not spend the winter here, as had at first been contemplated.

Mrs. William Wirt Kimball's tea yesterday afternoon, to meet Mrs. Alexander Legare, was a much enjoyed affair for their mutual friends. Mrs. Kimball wore gray silk and lace, and the bride wore a blue and fawn colored cloth trimmed with mink. Mrs. John Gordon, Mrs. Holdsworth Gordon and Miss Esther Gordon assisted in receiving. At the tea table Miss Herbert poured chocolate and Mrs. John Van Rensselaer the tca. Quite a number of prominent so-ciety people dropped in after 5 o'clock. The Misses Davis of Philadelphia, who

have spent several winters here and who have entertained so handsomely, are now occupying the McKee house, corner of Connecticut and Rhode Island avenues.

Senator and Mrs. Teller are still in Mexico, and are not expected back for several Mrs. G. W. Sampson of New York city is

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. L. Gresham have re-

visiting her son, Dr. J. C. Sampson.

been spending the fall months at their home in the granite state, are now located at the Miss Lucille Blackburn, daughter of Sen-

A pound party will be given tonight at

Grace Church, Georgetown, by the King's Daughters, for the benefit of the poor. The basement doors of the church will be open at 7:30 p. m. Miss Katherine Shields, daughter of Gen. Shields, whose statue was unveiled at the Capitol today, accompanied by Miss Minetto Lynch of Chicago and Miss Ella Gleeson, is stopping at the National Hotel.

A number of young ladies and gentlemen met at the residence of Miss Isabel Koontz; 127 D street northwest, Saturday evening and organized a social and pleasure club. The following officers were elected: President, Mr. J. H. A. Fowler; first vice president, Miss Isabel Koontz; second vice president, Mr. E. T. Thatcher; secretary, Miss Mary, Thatcher, and treasurer, Mr. Harry, Thatcher, and the second treasurer, Mr. Harry, Thatcher, Thatcher, and Thatcher, and the second treasurer, Mr. Harry, Thatcher, and Mary Thatcher, and treasurer, Mr. Harry Moran. The next meeting will be held at the residence of Miss Mary Thatcher, 203 Destroy northwest Endow

Miss Cora Reinach of Petersburg is the guest of Mrs. Harry King, 1024 8th street. She will be at home Thursday from 2 to 5. Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Whiting have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Josephine Bird, and Mr. Francis Emerson Smith. The ceremony will take place at their residence, 2030 15th street, Wednesday evening, December 20, at 8

D street northwest, Friday evening, Decem-

The Jonquil Club will give their next dance at the National Rifles' Armory Friday evening, December 29. The committee in charge are Messrs. G. Grant Armor, Fred R. Hertford, B. Howard Davis, Franc. E. Sheiry, J. William Donnelly and Edward F.

The first meeting of the Columbus Social Club was held last evening at the residence of Miss Waddington, 1717 14th street northwest. After the transaction of regular business the evening was very pleasantly spent. Among those present were Miss Mason of Pennsylvania, Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter of Buffalo, Dr. Carpenter and J. Fred Gatchel.

Mrs. G. A. Lyon, jr., who has been on a four weeks' visit to her parents in Michigan, has returned to the city.

TO KEEP SCHOOLS NON-SECTARIAN. Aims of the League for the Protection

of American Institutions, which was incorporated under the laws of the state of New York on December 24, 1889, has issued "an address to the public in defense of the American free common school sys-

The National League for the Protection

The objects of the league are to secure constitutional and legislative safeguards for the protection of the common school system and other American institutions, and to promote public instruction in harmony with such institutions, and to prevent all sectarian or denominational appropriations of public funds. The National League is absolutely unsectarian and nonpartisan in character. It is proposed to secure an amendment to the United States Constitution prohibiting sectarian legisla-tion by the states. The amendment, in form as submitted by the law committee, has been adopted by the board of mana-

gers.

The proposed form of the sixteenth amendment to the United States Constitution is as follows: "No state shall pass any law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibit-ing the free exercise thereof, or use its

by taxation, or authorize either to be used, for the purpose of founding, maintaining for the purpose of founding, maintaining or aiding, by appropriation, payment for the services, expenses, or otherwise, any church, religious denomination or religious society, or any institution, society, or undertaking, which is wholly, or in part, under sectarian or ecclesiastical control."

The address of the league after criticising the Spelissy school bill, which is to be sent to the New York legislature. to the New York legislature in January and which proposes to give state aid to Catho-GENTS' SUITS SCOURED

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which proposes to give state aid to Catholic schools, concludes as follows: We shall call upon the forthcoming New York state constitutional convention to formulate an amendment to the state constitution prohibiting sectarian appropriations, and to submit it to the people for a separate vote. in order that this important question shall not be complicated with other issues. We appeal to all loyal American citizens to cooperate in every feasible way in the defense

THE SOCIAL WORLD. of the American free public school system, on which the safety of the republic and the peace and prosperity of its citizens so largely depend.

Mgr. Farley, vicar general of the Catholic diocese of New York, says that the officials of the diocese have never seen the bill and decline all responsibility for it. It was drafted, it is said, by the editor of a Catholic paper and circulated on his own responsibility. responsibility.

Among the honorary vice presidents of

Among the honorary vice presidents of the league are: Charles Kendall Adams, Sherman W. Adams, Rishop E. G. Andrews of New York city; Hubert H. Bancroft, Bishop Thomas Bowman of St. Louis; Judge Addison Brown, Dr. Horace Bumstead, Bishop Arthur C. Coxe of western New York; Henry A. Cram, Dr. E. M. Cravath, J. L. M. Curry, ex-Judge Charles P. Daly, ex-Judge Noah Davis, Bishop William Crosswell Doane of Albany; William E. Dodge, A. S. Draper, Dr. L. R. Fiske, Bishop Fitzgerald of New Orleans; Bishop Fowler of Minneapolis; Bishop George D. Gillespie of Grand Rapids, Mich.; Dr. Daniel C. Gilman, Dr. Gustav Gottheil, Gen. A. W. Greeley, Dr. Teunis S. Hamilin, Henry Hitchcock, Gardiner G. Hubbiard, the Rev. Dr. W. R. Huntington, Morris K. Jesup, Dr. Hitchcock, Gardiner G. Hubbard, the Rev. Dr. W. R. Huntington, Morris K. Jesup, Dr. David Starr Jordan, Bishop Isaac W. Joyce of Cattanoogo; Roratio King, S. D. Lee, Henry G. Marquand, Joseph Medill, Dr. Ledward C. Mitchell, Dr. James D. Moffat, Bishop John P. Newman, Omaha; Bishop William X. Ninde, Detroit; Bishop William Paret, Baltimore, Richard Hanner, C. Berner, Paret Paret, Paret Paret, Paret Paret, Paret Paret, Paret Paret, Paret Par Paret, Baltimore; Bishop Henry C. Poiter, New York; John Harsen Rhoades, Dr. D. B. St. John Roosa, Bishop John Scarbor-ough, Trenton; J. Edward Simmons, Dr. Homer B. Sprague, Dr. Augustus H. Strong,

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Attempted Suicide of a Defaulter. Joseph H. Lewis, head bookkeeper for N. J. Schloss & Co., wholesale clothiers at 653

Broadway, New York, and treasurer of a land company at 171 Broadway, was arrested yesterday afternoon at the Union Square Hotel and brought to police head-Mrs. Seawell and the Misses Seawell are in mourning this winter for a near relative, and are therefore not accepting any invitaported to the police, who made an investi-gation and discovered that Lewis had embezzled money belonging to his employers. He was held on a charge of larceny and at-tempted suicide.

Pension Office Work.

The report of the board of pension appeals turned from Chicago, and are at home shows that the number of appeals pending Saturdays in December at 1415 Hopkins on November 1 was 3.618, and that the Capt. O. I. Converse and wife, who have The number of fee appeals pending on the same date was 81, and the number filed during the month 57. One hundred and six motions for reconsideration were pending and 8 were filed. Of the appeals 18 were Miss Lucille Blackburn, daughter of Senator Blackburn, is the guest of Mrs. Stephen Rand at 1315 N street.

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SIMMONS-NEWMAN. On December 5, 1893, at the pursonage of the Ryland M. E. Church, by the Rev. Mr. Hartsock, Mr. WILLIAM T. SIMMONS to Miss HARRHETT A. NEWMAN, both of Washington, D. C.

DIED. BOWLER. On Wednesday. December 6, 1893, at 12:15 a.m., ETHEL, daughter of Warren and Annie G. Bowler, aged three years, two months and twenty-two days.

CAMPBELL. On Tuesday, December 5, 1893, at 9:10 p.m., ANNA M., beloved wife of Thomas Campbell, in the thirty-ninth year of her age. Funeral this afternoon from Holy Trinity Church. HICKS. On Monday, December 4, 1893, at 7:10 p.m., in the eighty-first year of her age, MAR-GARET H. HICKS, relict of the late James

GARET H. HICKS, relict of the late James Hicks, meral from the residence of her son-in-law, S. B., Dietz, No. 72 K street northwest, on Thursday, December 7, at 8,390 d.m. Mass at 9 a.m., St., Aloyslus Church. Interment at Holy Rood con-ctery. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited.

LARNED. On December 5, 1893, MARIA H.
LARNED, widow of the late Col. Benjamin F.
Larned, U. S. A.
Interment at Oak Hill on Thursday, December
7, at 1 o'clock.

MINOR. On Wednesday, December 6, 1863, at 8 a.m., at his residence, 1612 Marion street northwest, ANDREW T. MINOR, in the fitty-first year of his age.

Notice of funeral hereafter, (Richmond, Va., papers please copy.)

NESLINE. On Monday, December 4, 1883, at 8 o'clock p.m., after a short illness, BARBARA C., eldest daughter of John and Rosie Nesilia, aged eighteen years, Funeral from her parents' residence, 1835 7th street northwest, on Thursday, December 7, at 9 o'clock, Requiem mass at St. Mary's Church at 9:30. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

SCHNEIDER, Suddenly, op Monday, December 4, 1803, CHARLES A. SCHNEIDER.
Funeral from his late residence, 1814 K street northwest, Thursday, December 7, at 2.30

SCOTT. On Tuesday morning, December 5, 1833, at 12:35 o'clock, LIZZIE J. HEALY, beloved wife of Isaac Scott, in the twenty-fifth year of ber age.
Funeral from her late residence, 533 5th street southeast, Thursday, 2 p.m. Friends invited. (Cape Cod Item please copy.)

TREADWELL. Passed into spirit life, FRANKLIN, the beloved husband of Helen Treadwell. Tues-day afternoon, December 5, 1893, at 5:30. There is no death, 'tis spirit birth, A cummons from the toll of carth, 'Tis passing to that blissful shore, Where parting moments come no more.

Suneral from his late residence, 926 7th street southwest, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Frierds and acquaintances invited.

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